

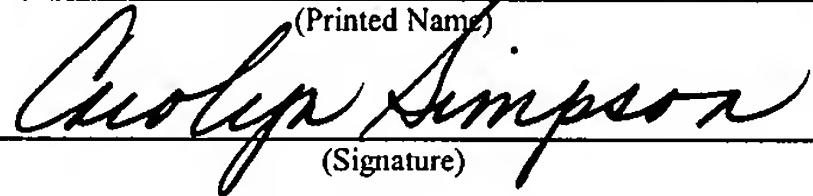


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Enclosed is a Certificate of Correction, Form PTO/SB/44, for United States Patent Number 7,153,586 issued December 26, 2006. The following Patent Office printing error appears in the issued patent:

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The exact location of the error in the claims of the issued patent is as follows:

Column 9:  
line 19, before "substrate" insert --a--.

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